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Amendments to the Claims

The following listing of claims replaces all prior versions and listings of claims in this application:

1. (original) A perfuming composition comprising:

i) as perfuming ingredient, at least a compound of formula

in the form of anyone of its isomers or a mixture thereof, and in which R^1 represents a linear or branched C_2 to C_4 alkenyl group;

- ii) at least one ingredient selected from the group consisting of a perfumery carrier and a perfumery base; and
- iii) optionally at least one perfumery adjuvant.
- 2. (original) A perfuming composition according to claim 1, characterized in that the perfuming ingredient is a compound of formula

in the form of any of its isomers or a mixture thereof, and in which R^2 represents a linear or branched C_2 or C_3 1-alkenyl group, and the hydrogen and oxygen atom marked with an asterisk are in a trans configuration.

- 3. (original) A perfuming composition according to claim 1, characterized in that the perfuming ingredient is (1S,1'R)-2-[1-(3',3'-dimethyl-1'-cyclohexyl)ethoxy]-2-methylpropyl 2-propenoate.
 - 4. (currently amended) A perfumed article comprising:
 - i) as perfuming ingredient, at least a compound of formula (I), as defined in anyone of claims 1 to 3, or a perfuming composition as defined in any one of claims 1 to 3; and
 - ii) a consumer product base.
- 5. (original) A perfumed article according to claim 4, characterized in that the consumer product base is a solid or liquid detergent, a fabric softener, a perfume, a cologne or after-shave lotion, a perfumed soap, a shower or bath salt, mousse, oil or gel, a hygiene product, a hair care product, a shampoo, a body-care product, a deodorant or antiperspirant, an air freshener, a cosmetic preparation, a fabric refresher, an ironing water, a paper, a wipe or a bleach.
- 6. (currently amended) A method to confer, enhance, improve or modify the odor properties of a perfuming composition or of a perfumed article, which method comprise adding to said composition or article an effective amount of at least a compound as defined in anyone of claims 1 to 3, or of a perfuming composition as defined in any one of claims 1 to 3.
 - 7. (original) A compound of formula

in the form of any of its isomers or a mixture thereof, and in which R^1 represents a linear or branched C_2 to C_4 alkenyl group; provided that 2-[1-(3,3-dimethylcyclohexyl)ethoxy]-2-methylpropyl 2-methyl-2-butenoate is excluded.

8. (original) As a compound according to claim 7, of formula

in the form of any of its isomers or a mixture thereof, and in which R^2 represents a linear, branched C_2 or C_3 1-alkenyl group, and the hydrogen and oxygen atom marked with an asterisk are in a trans configuration.

- 9. (original) As a compound according to claim 7, (1S,1'R)-2-[1-(3',3'-dimethyl-1'-cyclohexyl)ethoxy]-2-methylpropyl 2-propenoate.
 - 10. (new) A perfumed article comprising:
 - i) as perfuming ingredient, at least a compound of formula (I) as defined in any one of claims 1 to 3; and
 - ii) a consumer product base.
- 11. (new) A perfumed article according to claim 10, characterized in that the consumer product base is a solid or liquid detergent, a fabric softener, a perfume, a cologne or after-shave lotion, a perfumed soap, a shower or bath salt, mousse, oil or gel, a hygiene product, a hair care product, a shampoo, a body-care product, a deodorant or antiperspirant, an air freshener, a cosmetic preparation, a fabric refresher, an ironing water, a paper, a wipe or a bleach.

12. (new) A method to confer, enhance, improve or modify the odor properties of a perfuming composition or of a perfumed article, which method comprise adding to said composition or article an effective amount of a compound as defined in any one of claims 1 to 3.